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Reply to Office action of 23 November 2004

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office action of 23 November 2004, please amend the  
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following remarks.

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- 1. Amendments to and/or listing of the claims;**
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